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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/556,701  
Applicants: Hitoo NISHINO, et al.  
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For: PHARMACEUTICAL OR FOOD COMPOSITION  
FOR TREATMENT OR PREVENTION OF BRAIN  
EDEMA  
Group Art Unit: 1615  
Examiner: G.S. KISHORE

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Responsive to the Office Action dated March 28, 2005, Applicants respectfully  
request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.